missioners met in the office of the week. Clerk of Court vesterday and drew a jury to serve at the November term of Court. We will publish last Wednesday. tke cenire as soon as we can obtain the names.

After we had gone to press last week, we received a letter from dren left last Friday morning for Mr. J. B. Pickels, member of the Melville, La., on a visit to rela-School Board from the Lamourie tives. ward, notifying as that Mr. W. W. McClure had been assigned as daughter, Mrs. L. M. Weathers, teacher of the Lewis school, since are the guests of Mrs. D. F. Clark, teacher of the Lewis school of this city.

Board.

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The adjournment of the School of this city.

—Miss Mary Hunter returned last Saturday from a visit to her the school of this city.

- From all accounts Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a Godsend Derry, La. to the afflicted. There is no adcrat," Carrollton, Ky. For sale which he is President. by E. J. Sullivan, Phoenix drug

AN ERROR CORRECTED,-A typographical error occurred in the publication of the School Board proceedings last week with reference to M. L. Molino, a colored school teacher in the Lamourie ward. He should have been cred ited with a four month's term and salary of \$30 per month, instead of a six month's term and salary of \$50.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, after a successful wrestle with fe-Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, ver for one week. Chapped Hands, Chillblains, Corns perfect satisfaction or money re listing political situation. funded. Price 25 cents per box.

A BAD Nigro Arrested.-Last Frimore arrested Mike Tillman colored, on Mr. Dancan's place, near Tramway, on an affidavit charging him with waylay on a visit to their relative, Mrs. ing and attempting to kill a negro named Basil Hall on Willow Glen plantation, about ten days ago. Tillman is a negro him and confronted the officers with a

BANK OFFICERS ELECTED. -The stockholders of the Rapides Bank of Alexandria met on the 7th instant and elected the following Board of Directors: Chas. M. Greene, Bertrand Weil, George O. Watts, E. J. Hardiner, C. E. Roberts, J. G. While, T. N. Miles, H. W. S. Lund and G. W. Bolton. The newly elected Directors subsequently convened and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: G. W. Bolton, President; T. N. Miles, Vice-President, and J. W. Bolton, Cashier.

### The Rapides Teachers' Association.

Notice is hereby given that the

gathering at the Court House for selected. the purpose of getting acquainted. W. J. CALVIT,

## Judge J. R. Thornton.

President.

Judge J. R. Thornton of the Alexandria bar has been appointed of the parish. Master in Chancery in the matter of the St. Louis, Avoyelles and doubt that any delegation that Southwestern Railroad. His ac could be selected, would zealously ceptance of this important office support Mr. Ariail, should he anwill be halled with satisfaction by nounce himself as a candidate, as the creditors of the road, living in long as his name is before the conthis parish. Judge Thornton envention, the Democrats of the Pajoys the confidence of the people rish have the right to know in adhere, he is a lawyer of ability and vance how their delegates will do not digest enough. And this is possesses the qualities of a Judge vote as between the announced so serious it is worth sitting down continued to think about. If you in the highest degree. Being of candidates, in the event of the deour people and with our people, we have no hesitancy in predict. This is a very important question dial. The effect of it will be to ining a successful and satisfactory and must be known with absolute dial. The effect of it will be to inmanagement of the affairs of the certainty before the primary. The crease your flesh and make you road, under his jurisdiction. We public is not advised as to how feel stronger. You won't fall sick. presume that Judge Thornton will soon begin the examination of tween Messrs. Ogden and Mars the claims held by the people here, ton, the announced candidates. and when the work will once be. The Democrats of the Parish have gin, it will not be long before an some rights in the choice of their Cordial. adjustment will be reached. These delegates, which can no longer be matters settled and out of the abridged, restricted or taken away way, would be a great benefit to the from them by self constituted road, because many of those who leaders. hold claims are men who control considerable patronage, and the

Alexandria, L.

PERSONAL. -Mr. Gny Kunber left for Bun-

-Judge W. F. Blackman went to Lake Charles Monday.

-Mr. A B. Kitchen, of Moore land, was in town last week.

-Justice F. D. Henderson, of
Boyce, was in town last Friday.

-Mr. W. H. Kline, of Lake

Charles, was in town last Saturday. -Col. and Mrs. W. H. Jack, of JURY DRAWN .- The jury com Natchitocles were in town last

-Mr. W. J. Everett, of the Rus-ton Leader, gave us a pleasant call

-The DEMOCRAT acknowledges an appreciated call from Mr. E. S. Brashear on Monday,

-Mrs. Joseph Spotten and chil-

-Mrs. E. B. Pendleton and

sister, Mrs. A. J. Hertzog, of

-Col. J. C. Wise was in town vertisement about this; we feel Monday, to attend the meeting of just like saying it. The "Demo the Bryan and Sewall Club, of

> -Our friend Mr. LeDoux E. Smith, of Baton Rouge, has placed us under obligations with a pamphlet containing the new election

-Mr. R. P. Hunter, one of the most prominent attorneys of the Rapides bar, was in attendance at Court this week .- [Marksville Re--Mr. A. W. Berdon, traveling

representative of H. B. Stevens & Co., clothiers, of New Orleans, was in town the first part of the

-We are glad to see our triend, Mr. Jacob Geiger, again at his ac-THE BEST SALVE in the world enstoned place in the Drug Store,

ver for one week. -Hon, N. C. Blanchard passed and all Skin Eruptions, and posi through Atexandria on Monday week: tively cures Piles, or no pay en route to Lake Charles, where required. It is guaranteed to give he delivered an address on the ex-

-Mr. F. M. Welch, President \$545.25. For sale by the Eagle Drug Store, of the St. Louis, Avoyelles and Southwestern Railway, was in dale, lot 6 of square 16, in West town last Saturday and gave the Alexandria. Price, \$75. day night, Constables Baillio and Gil- DEMOCRAT an appreciated call. -Miss Nettie Thomas and nephew, Harry Leek, of Bayon Sara, Red river. There are several charges passed through Alexandria last Alexandria. Price, 150. against him, but he was arrested upon Friday, en route to Lake Charles,

A. F. Bolton. -Messrs, W. H. Tunnard and Price, \$200. of unsavory reputation. When arrested L. S. Crane, of the Shreveport he had a Co't's revolver buckled around Times, en route to Lake Charles Times, en route to Lake Charles Stokes, 40 acres land in Sec 15, T. last week to attend the annual ses-Winchester rifle, which they compelled him to surrender. He has already served a sion of the Louisiana Press Assosentence of seventeen years in the peni- ciation, gave the DEMOCRAT pleas-

ant calls. -Mr. C. D. Hicks, editor, and Miss Mary Dingle, society editress of the Shreveport Progress, returned from Lake Charles Satur day and while waiting for the evening train, complimented the DEM-OCRAT with appreciated calls.

## "A Ticket for Ariail."

We notice that a "slate" of 24 delegates purporting to be "A Thornton's property. Price, \$1253, ticket for Ariail," has already been 75. selected by some body to be voted for at the primary election to be 23 acres on Bayou Robert road. Ky. Sustains fourteen different in and contributed largely to the held on the 24th of this month, to Price, \$347.75. choose delegates to represent the sional convention to assemble at Shreveport on the 1st of October.

While we are committed to the Rapides Teachers' Association will candidacy of the Hon. J. F. Arimeet at the Court House in Alex ail and have no objections to urge andria, Saturday, Sept. 26, at 10 against the personnel of the ticket a. m., for the purpose of re-organiz- selected in his interest, as a Deming and transacting other business. ocratic journalist, we have the Friday evening at 8 o'clock Sept. right to inquire by whom and by 25, the teachers will have a social what authority this delegation was

It seems that it is only necessary, whenever the time approaches for the convocation of a convention, for a select coterie to meet together in "Star Chamber" session and choose the delegates, without consultation with the Democracy

While there is no question of the select delegation stands as be-

A SUDDEN DEATH .- Last Saturday af-A SUDDEN DEATH.—Last Saturday atternoon, a carpenter named R. W. Johnson, while engaged in nailing weather-bearding on the cottage now in process of construction for Mr. J. Hirsch by Messrs. Hoffman & Wilson, corner St.

A Visitation from the "Divine Healer."

August Schraeder, a fellow claiming to be the "Divine bealer" and who has had a large amount of gratuitous advertising, arrived in Alexandria last week, and took quarters at the Stonewall Hotel, but subsequently transferred his divinityship" to the Ellington House, where he was besieged by a constant flood of visitors all

Indeed, some negroes roosted on the steps of the Ellington house during the night, in order to anticipate the arrival of others in the morning and be the first to secure the ministrations of the "healer."

Schraeder claims to be able by the laying on of hands" and "the blessing of handkerchiefs," to make the sick well, to cause the lame to Secretary. walk without crutches, the deaf to hear, the dumb to talk and the blind to see.

This is not an age of miracles. No man can perform the miraculous cures which he claims to have done, unless he be gifted with supernatural power, a gift which is not accorded to any human being. Like all such frauds, however, Schraeder is sharp enough to keep himself out of the clutches of the law, by receiving money from his credulous victims under the guise of donations voluntarily and freely given; instead of pecuniary exactions for fraudulent services reudered, as in reality, they are.

Schraeder has none of the athe heal the sick, restore lost sight, blessing of handkerchiefs." He is 16 to 1. simply a charlatan, imposing upon the credulity of the public, against whom "the move on" ordinance should be enforced by the people of ever town and city upon whom be inflicts his fraudulent presence.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS .-The following transfers of reat estate have been-registered in the Recorder's office during the past

Chas, E. Hadnot to Edward J. Barrett, 330 acres land in Sections 38 and 35, T. 5 N., R. 2 W. Price,

Mrs. L. Jarreau to E. M. Raxs-Albert Pettingill to James R.

Howard, lot of ground on Monroe street and Gould Avenue in West Mrs. Pamelia O. Clapp to Al-

bert Pettingill, lot 8 of square 44 Clapp Addition to Alexandria. Jos. II. Meeker to Samuel

1 N., R. 1 W. Price, \$40. Jos. H. Meeker to Thomas A. Stokes, 40 acres land in Sec. 15, T.

1 N., R. 1 W. Price, \$10 Jos. H. Meeker to Jonathan Musselwhite, 40 acres land in Sec. 15,

T. 1 N , R. 1 W. Price, \$40. Isom Snowden to John W. Woods, two acres land with improvements thereon, in Section 14, r 2 N., R. 1 W. Price, \$53.

Alexandria Land and Improve ment Company to H. H. White, 10 and 33-100 acres of land on Bayon Robert road, near Judge

H. H. White to J. H. Edwards,

parish of Rapides in the congres- 23 acres of land on Bayou Robert tent. road. Price. \$347.75.

ning back to Washington street on Tenth street. Price \$500.

Mrs. E. Schmalinski to F. M. Patterson, 50 acres of land on Wilson's Bayou. Price \$150.

Mrs. E. Schmalinski to Chas. E

Bayon. Price \$120. Widow of Raymond Rin to Chas C. Brown, 2051 acres of land in

Sections 21, 28, 29 and 32, T. 3 N. R. 2 E. Price \$2,000.

-When wear begins to exceed repair in your body you are going to fall sick. The signs of it are: loss of flesh, paleness, weakness, for you. The difficulty is that you do not digest enough. And this is seriously to think about. If you feel stronger. You won't fall sick. Proof that it is in control of your repair apparatus. It's easy enough to test this for yourself. Take a few bottles of Shaker Digestive

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## Free Pills.

Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will couvince to World's Dispensary Medical you of their merits. These Pills Association, Buffalo, N.Y., and Messrs. Hoffman & Wilson, corner St. James and Third streets, was seen to suddenly fall prone upon the scaffold upon which he was standing. Some of the carpenters immediately hastened to his assistance, but he was dead when they reached him Dr. R. L. Luckett, Parish Coroner, impaneled a jury and held an inquest, who rendered a verdict that he died from heart failure. The decased was about 69 years of age and conscientious manneyer live parre convinced to the elepaper. Convinced to the elepaper. The was a native of Lynchburg, Va., but had resided here for about its teen years. His remains were interred in Provided in Provid are easy in their action and are receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page

### RESOLUTIONS

ADOPTED BY THE REVAN AND SEW ALL CLUB OF LECOMPTE.

3d, at 8 p. m.

Sewall club.

dy, Secretary.

The organization was perfected by electing the following as per manent officers: Geo. M. Houk, President; Dr. J. D. Everett, Vice President, and Humphrey Hardy.

On motion the President appointed the following committee to draw up suitable resolutions and report at the next meeting: 'L. P. Marshall, Capt. H. F. Long, K. U. Carnal, Wirt Collins and S. A. Myers.

Pursuant to adjournment the meeting was held Tnesday night. Sept. 8th, with Mr. Geo. M. Houk n the chair, and the following res-

olutions were adopted: Be it resolved, That the Lecompte Bryan and Sewall Club has for its object the promotion of Democratic principles as enunciated by the founders of our gov ernment, and to unite all its members in harmonious action to setributes of divinity, neither can cure the restoration of silver to the position it held in our national nor cause the lame to walk, by currency prior to 1873, as money the laying on of hands" and "the of final redemption at the ratio of 1896, a son.

Be it further resolved, That to endorse the nomination of Wil-

of the above candidates.

Be it further resolved, That we endorse the Democratic platform

Be it further resolved, That we refuse our support to any candidate for Congress in this District who shall not give full and public exp ession to views thoroughly in harmony with our national platform, and that this club act as a unit in the congressional election:

Resolved further, That we condemn the course pursued by Hon. Don Caffery in departing from the long established principles of the Democratic party, and as his acts are detrimental to our interests we demand his resignation.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Louisi-ANA DEMOCRAT, Times Democrat and one to the Town Talk for publication.

WIRT COLLINS, K. U. CARNAL, H. F. Long, L. P. MARSHALL,

S. A. MYERS. DO YOU WANT AN EDUCA-TION?

Enter the Bowling Green Business College and Southern Nor- men's Christian Temperance Union mal School, of Bowling Green, of Louisiana, took a deep interest departments and employs twelve success of the cause. H. H. White to T. G. Edwards, teachers, all of whom are compe-

ad. Price, \$347.75.
\$70 pays all expenses of tuition stood at the altar of St. James
Mrs. Lydia St. John to T. F. and board, including fuel, lights, Episcopal Church, in Alexandria, Treadway, lots 3 and 4, of square rooms, bedding, etc., in the literation and was given in marriage by her 75, fronting on Lee street and run-ry departments for five months.

Business College.

school in the South. Jones, 40 acres of land on Boating party of pupils will leave New Or- ate sister. But "Thy will, not leans September 21st under the ours, be done." management of T. C. Cherry. Write for catalogue and circu-

lars. Mention course desired. CHERRY BROS, Address, Bowling Green, Ky.

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George M. Honk was chosen guaranteed to do you good and President, and Humphrey H Har cost you nothing at the Eagle Drug Store.

> MARRIAGE LICENSES. -The following marriage licenses have been issued by the Clerk of the Court:

> White.-Theodore Schrader and Miss Lula Malone; Odibert Simmons and Miss Elia Abney.

Colored .- Rufus · Newton Mary Neal; Randalph Pembroke and Mary Hammond.

THE ALTAR, THE CRADLE AND THE GRAVE.

SCHRADER-MALONE-Mr. The odore Schrader and Miss Lulu Malone were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, near Forest Hill, this parish, on Fuesday, Sept. 8th 1896, the Rev. Herman C. Duncan, officiating.

BORN: -To Mrs. S. J. Hymes, of Alexandria, on Tuesday morning, Sept. 8th 1896, a son.

To Mrs. J. Wolf, of Lecompte

Mrs. Malinda Barron, aged 80 secure this end we unqualifiedly years, died at the residence of her son, Mr. T. C. Barron, near Polliam Jennings Bryan and Arthur lock, La., on Monday evening, Calico and Lawn,
Sewall for President and Vice Sept. 7th 1896. The deceased left Brown and white Domesti munity to join the club and use mourn her demise. Her remains Men's and Ladies' Hats, every effort to secure the election were interred in the family cemetery, at Holloway, La.

> Mrs. Agnes Stewart died at ber residence at Forest Hill, Rapides Parish, on Tuesday morning, Sept.

8th, 1896. The deceased was sixty-one years of age and was a native of County Autrim, Ireland, but had resided in this Parish for 36 years. The deceased leaves two daughters, Mrs. M. E. Calhoon, of Glenmora, La., and Mrs. J. T. Erwin, of Fordyce, Ark., and two sons, Wm. M. Stewart, of Forest Hill, and Thos. D. Stewart, of Irish Bend, St. Mary Parish, besides numerous other relatives to mourn her death.

ALLEN.-Mrs. Maria Louise Allen died at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bringhurst, in this city, at 12:30 o'clock

on Friday, September 11th, 1896. The deceased was about 29 years of age. She was a native of Alexandria, where she had resided all her life and by her kindly traits of character, had made many sincere friends, who will deplore her untimely and sad death. Indeed, none knew Lulu Bringhurst but to love her.

She was a member of the Wo-

Less than two years ago, a radiant and charming bride, she \$95 pays for the same in the roe. Now, the bright light of a Business College. happy existence has been prema-Secures more good positions for turely extinguished, a loving husits graduates than any other band bereft of a devoted wife; father, mother, brothers and sisters of Special rates over railroads. A an idolized daughter and affection

> Her remains were consigned to their last resting place in Mt. Oli vet Cemetery, Pineville, at 10 a. m. the next day, followed thither by one of the largest funeral processions ever witnessed in Alex-

The DEMOCRAT tenders its sincere condolence to the bereaved husband and afflicted family, in the irreparable loss which they have sustained.

DAY AND SUNDAY.

## LEVY BROTHERS.

District Court-Parish of Rapides.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it why the same should not be granted.

| SEAL | Office, Alexandria, La. this 8th day of Sept. 1896.
| C. M. KILPATRICK,

Deputy Clerk.

May 13, 1896.

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